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Please note that Applicants have enclosed a paper copy (pages 1-5) of the Sequence Listing and a compact disc labeled "CRF." Applicants request consideration and entry of the Sequence Listing paper copy and computer readable copy. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.77, please enter the paper copy of the Sequence Listing after the Abstract.

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Respectfully submitted,

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